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Thought you'd want to know about these notes that follow that affect your respective areas. Please encourage sales reps to alert retailers about meetings that may affect their businesses.

Thank you.
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Springfield, MA--Bob Stone reports great progress on the self-service display issue in the Commonwealth's third largest city. If all goes well, the mayor and city council president and the chief anti on the council have all signed off on the compromise language on merchandising that will allow self-service displays of tobacco products within 10 feet of the register.

Tucson, AZ--The city council met at a work session on 2/10 to consider a tobacco retailing licensing ordinance which contains no self-service language. No one spoke on the issue. A letter in opposition was sent by the Arizona Licensed Beverage Association. A public hearing on the bill is tentatively set for 3/3. It's important that this ordinance not pass since the industry is pushing a statewide pre-emption bill in the Legislature.

New Jersey--Elizabeth Gallagher is requesting calls to retailers urging them to attend a township council hearing in Nutley, NJ., on retailing issues.

The proposal before the council is only vending. However, Elizabeth fears that antis may push--as they have in other townships--to place self-service language into the bill at this hearing. That's why she's requesting the retailers attend as a safeguard measure. The hearing in Nutley is set for 2/18.

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